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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

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In response to the Office Action mailed on April 17, 2007, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.